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BURLINGTON VERMONT, THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1916.

MACHINE GUN IS

MADE READY FOR

HASTINGS STRIKERS

National Guard Take Charge

of Cable Company's

Plant.

Hastings-on-Hudson, N. Y., April 19.

Welsenbanger of Westchester county,

after a riet of striking employes of the

GETS \$4,060.89 VERDICT.

Montpeller, April 19.-A verdict for J

for \$4,000.89 was returned by a jury lat.

this afternoon in Washington county

of Earre, the jury having been out for

the amount of a note given by Low-

plaintiff contended that he had an ar

rangement with the bank to have th

note collected. The verdict was for the

reports are made from the town.

Cushing.

Dinner was served at the American

RUTLAND COUNTY COURT.

Hail of \$1,000 was called and ordered for-

EXAMS, FOR OPTOMETRISTS.

Rutland, April 19. S ven prospective

over five hours. Pirte sued to recover

Pirie, a Williamstown quarry owner

authorities

NUMBER 43.

Ultimatum Is Delivered to Berlin and President Wilson So Informs Congress in Joint Session-An Early Reply Is Requested—Whether Von Bernstorff Gets His Passports or Not Will Probably Be Known Capture Stone Quarry Northeast Four Companies of New York Within a Week.

Washington, April 19.—President Wilson's long expected final warning to Germany that the United States will break off diplomatic relations unless she abandons her present methods of submarine warfare, and immediately declares her intention to do so, was delivered to-day in a note to Berlin and was announced by the President in an address to a joint session of Congress. The President demands nothing less than the abandonment of submarine warfare against commerce.

Both the President's address and the American note declare in unequivocal terms that only by Germany acceding to the demand can the breaking off of relations altogether be

The President considers that the next step depends solely on Germany and that three or four days constitute a reasonable time for a reply. He is willing to discuss how submarine warfare may be conducted within the limits of international law and humanity after Germany abandons her pres-

Diplomatic history records but one instance as yet where a breaking of relations between two first-class powers has not

irrefutably that German assurances to of the foreign affairs committee of the the United States have repeatedly been House

the belligerent distances

referrated to Secretary Landon that try. The scene had been dramatically under no circumstances will Germany human. The President's demonsor regive up the submarine as a weapon of dested his state of mind, and an inputwarfare, I cause she contends it is a tial observer would readily say the do retaliation for Great Britain's food meanor of Congress as a whole reflected blockade. The ambanuador has declared, its sympathy.

GERMANS INFLICT HEAVY LOSSES IN BAYONET ATTACK

of Verdun-Another Russian Victory near Erzerum.

London, April 19.-The Germans near Haudremont, northeast of Verdun, in a layoner attack in which heavy casual-ties were inflicted on the French, have captured a stone quarry, around which they gained a footing Monday.

There has been considerable artillery activity west of the Mease on hill 201, and the French first lines between Dead Man hill and Comieres. At Les Eporges the Germans after three atacks entered French trenches on a front of about 200 yards, but were immediately expelled from them, suffering serious

Artillery duels are still in progress on the Russian front, but there has been

Italians have captured Monte some shouting by small boys, there was means of official reports.

Premier Asquith has postponed until the orders of Col. Klein. conscription. The premier has told the cabinet can be settled amicably there

The reply of Great Britain and Prance to the American government's protest

use by the entente powers of Suvia and Mercer, granite manufacturers. The lay, Island of Crete, for a naval base,

NOT TORPEDOED full amount with interest.

Berlin via London, April 19.-The foreign office transmitted to-day to the

WILLIAM M. INGRAHAM ASST. WAR SECRETARY

Washington, April 19.-William M.

NEW HAVEN WRECK VICTIMS ARE FIVE

Bradford, R. I., April 18.-The total deaths from the rear-end collision of made by Mayor J. E. Maun, Governor trains on the New York, New Haven & Gates, Commissioner Bates and John T Hartford railroad here last night remained at five to-night, a search of the ruins tions from my government, the following to the note of the imperial government of | Various inquiries into the cause of the statements and proposals contained in sion, and it was said to-night that to Information now in the possession of that note is that the imperial govern-findings would be returned probably until

TO STAND TRIAL

Frank L. Fish and the men were placed on probation for a year on payment of New York, April 19.-Wolfe Von Igel will not be released from custody and feited in the case of Nancio Massaro, who is charged with sobbery of Domenico being implicated in a plot to destroy the German embassy, I'nited States District Attorney H. Snowden Marshall declared

"I have not even considered the re- eye doctors, including three from outlease of Von Leel." Mr. Marshall con-tinued. "The legality of bis arrest was to-day before Dr. C. J. Cheveland and

by the imperial government. But, though is concerned, early to-day,
the attack upon the Sussex was mani- "Following Von Igel's arrest the pro- candidates are L. E. Straw of Wilder
P. Folson of South Roseston cartial investigation by naval and mill-festly indefensible and caused a loss of test of the German ambassador was Lawrence P. Folsom of South Royalton, tary officers of the United States has life so tragical as to make it stand forth made to the secretary of state and Mr. Henry E. Merrill and Darrold J. Merrill constastively established the fact that as one of the most terrible examples of the Mass. Mrs. Alex. Sheart of Lowell, Mass., Mrs. Alex. Sheart of rez. military governor of Chiboahua, stal he Sussex was torpedeed without warn- inhumanity of submarine warfare as the torney-general's office. It is my opinion Winooski, Mrs. Alice P. Baskins of St. that Von Igel never has been legally Johnsbury and Maurice E. Rowe of Free plot to seize the Chihuahua garrison were gan, have returned to Pittsfield, Mass. a member of the German embassy staff." | port, Pa.

DECIDED IN WEEK Maj-Gen. Scott Is Ordered to the Border to Make a Complete Report on Situation Confronting Gen. Funston.

MEXICAN MILITARY

BAKER'S REPRESENTATIVE

Administration's Final Action on Carranza's Suggestion That U. S. Troops Be Recalled Will Be Based Largely on Showing Made in Report.

Washington, April 19.-No decision as to Mexico is expected for a week or ten days the forces in Mexico to compet immedia ate action. This was made clear to-day General Bluch L. Scott, chief of staff o the border as his personal représents floor companies of the New York Namilitary braddens confronting Genera tional Guard, comprising 217 officers and

nen, arrived here at 620 n'clock to-night. a response to a call from Sheriff Ulrich General Carranga's suggestion that the expedition be recalled probably will be National Conduit and Cable compant report. General Scott, who left Washinghad extended beyond control of the civil ton to-night, hardly will be able to make the round trip and complete his observa-Although reports were circulated that those in less than 10 days.

strikers had accumulated great quantities of stones and bottles with nouncement on the fact that General trustees this authority. This village like which to resist interference by the Funston still is in supreme command not had the services of such a commilitia, there was no demonstration when of the border situation and expedition in the past and it is felt that this W. Eddy; S. Willis N. Cady; treasurer, the treors alighted from a special train any forces and will remain so. He is an important step toward a better Robert F. Pinney; secretary, Willian the Russian front, but there has been made up at Yonkers, and marched into raid the department fully approved and more heautiful Middlebury.—New H. Browster, C. of P. C. no important changes in positions. A the large plant of the cable company every step General Funston had taken. Helen E. Campbell, a life-long resident P. S. J. R. Renfield, R. A. Russian attack against Austrian posi- Several hundred men affected by the and that General Scott was going only of this village, who had been in ill health Poote; third veil, A. E. Lambert, tions on the upper Screth river in strike lined the railroad tracks, but aside because it had seemed desirable to get for a year, died at her home on Seymour from a few muttered imprecations and a clearer view than was possible by street about 11:30 o'clock Saturday morn- Pield;

organized bills and inflicted severe cas- forty special guards pressed into serv- stance of which was made public, were family there. unities on the Turks, who left hundreds lice when the strike started Saturday of a reassuring nature. A consular department of dead on the field of battle.

Harry Vassau, who has been in and Helen, of Ansonia, Conn., are visited the employ of Lewis Henfield for six held themselves in readiness to obey spatch said General Pershing's desire the employ of Lewis Henfield for six ing in town.—Howard H. Bostwick and

canced base near Parral had met with with the rear would be less difficult.

hushua told of the movement of Carranza W. Martin, which was damaged by fire a representative of the troops from that section toward Parral.

\$1,000 PAID FOR PURE

Franklin County Road Meeting. in regard to the Sussex containing affidaylts sworn to by a Swiss passenger Franklin county attended a good rong to the Sussex that the steamship was meeting held at Engles' half to-day GERMANY'S ATTITUDE TO DATE.

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Enosburg Falls, county highway commis-

House, nearly 100 men attending. Presi-WAR MATERIAL PLANT dent W. D. Chandler of the St. Albans AT RUTLAND BURNED Business and Professional Men's association presided, and brief speeches were Hot Shrapnel Shell Ignites Vat of Oil

Rutland, April 19. To-day was given shop of the F. R. Patch Manufacturing when it was in motion and in some way with pneumonia. -Mr. and Mrs. Elliett the 19th of April, regrets to state that action were started during the day but up to criminal business in Rudand county company this afternoon. The loss will was thrown to the ground. Had she Renaud of St. Albans spent Sunday the investigation were started during the day but up to criminal business in Rudand county. the impression made upon it by the none of them reached any definite conclusions and property an found guilty by jury of burglary in break- insurance. The oil in the big vat be- doubtedly been cut off. She was soon on Helen Adams of New York city is visiting into the store of N. M. Burr in the town of Rutland a few weeks and. Frank of dust added to the fire so that almost perience, but greatly frightened.-Mrs Miss Marjorie Prentiss spent Sunday of the situation which has resulted, not in New Haven, under the direction of the Fogarty and Thomas J. Roberts of Poult- instantly the entire interior of the two- William Edgerton is in town, accome with relatives in St. Albans.-Alderman ney both pleaded guilty to the charge of story, oil-soaked building, which was panied by Mrs Alfred Higley and Mrs John F. Bartley left Saturday on a two burgiary by breaking into the summer about 100 by 50 feet in dimensions, was a Edna Higley of Castleton - Col. and Mrs. weeks' cottage of J. L. McArthur of Granville. mass of flames. The entire department Thad M. Chapman have gone to New Conn.-H. A. Brown went to Burlington N. Y., and were fined \$100 and costs of \$8 The times were suspended by Judge ily manufactures stone working machinery, but has made shrapnel cases almost (raining in a New York city hospital, Mrs. Levi H. Brown, son, Onslow, and

> night and day. The fact that war materials are hand-

learned. had narrow escapes.

PLOTTERS ARE SHOT

El Paso, Texas, April 19. General Cacira, commander of the Junez garrison, received a message from General Gutter ing that is civilians concerned in a Villa executed by the firing squad to-day.

## HAPPENTING TO IN VT.; NEWS BY COUNTIES PROBLEM WILL BE

ADDISON COUNTY

MIDDLEBURY.

clock. Mrs. Force had been in with phold fever for about two weeks, folwing the sickness of Professor II we annual conference of Methodist minks nd their son, Dissens. From the first boy 3078. lness had been more sovers than that of The funeral of Mrs. Helen E. ne others and alarming symptoms ap- bell was held at her late home on Seyexceed during the last few days Laura mour street. Wednorday afternoon at Serton Payce was born in Wextrage and three o'clock, conducted by the Rev. as the daughter of Calvin and Christic John Evans Bold. There was a good Hagar Norten. She artended Middlebary attendance and many flowers, high school and the Potedam, N. Y., Nor-bearers were P. F. Chapman, Fra out school. She was a teacher in the Stone, Jesse Boulla and C. F. Rich, ablic schools holding positions in Mid- The informent was in the family let in Stellars. Manualler, Limiteten, N. H., the West cometers. Among those from

work. Last summer she assisted in the Italy. It is expected that the

Arthur N. Brown, Dr. P. E. Mellen cemetery.-Mrs. Brennan of St of this village were appointed a com- home of her con, T. P. he encumbering of streets and walks. Masonic Temple Thesday evening. Section 26, of the charter, gives the ing, at the age of 71 years. She is sur-

to change the location of his most ad- months, has resigned his position and has secured a no opposition by the Carranga military a position.-Mrs. Eliza M. Leno has gone idge is in Rutland to spent the Easter authorities. General Pershing is under- to Bellows Palls, called there by the stood to have desired to establish his new jillness of her daughter.—The Memorial base at such a point that communication Baptist Church are making preparations for their Easter services. There will be Harrison C. Sanford of Cornwall has State department officials pointed our special anthems and an appropriate ser- announced himself as a candidate for the that while the site of this new base mon in the morning service for the Young office of sheriff of Addison county was not revealed, it was said to be neared People's society at 4:30 p. m., and a conof the district was said to have sanctioned Pletcher hospital. Mrs. Summer will re- town for three years.

ber sisters for a few days, has returned York State and Vermont.

garet Sheldon, who is taking a course of she recently underwent an operation.xelusively the last winter, running is in town to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Kingsland were visitors in Mrs. W. H. Shelden.-P. E. Crane has Burlington Saturday,-Levi H. Brown been chosen by the scout council as scout was called Saturday to Ogdensburg. led at the plant and that there have master of the local organization -Mrs. N. Y., on business connected with the been frequent rumors of spies being here Sarah Brown of Milford, Conu., and three Sheffleld Farms Slawson-Decker comcaused the spreading of a story that brothers, B. W. Norton of Rockford, pany -At a meeting of Pierpoint Lodge, the plant was dynamited and there was III., B. H. Norton of Springfield, Mass., Knights of Pythias, Friday evening the great excitement until the truth was and Henry Norton of Addison, who were rank of esquire was conferred on one alled here last week by the illness and candidate and at the close the members No workmen were injured, but several death of their sister. Mrs. Thomas E were given refreshments of new maple Hoyce, wife of Professor Boyce, have reurned to their homes.- The dance given C. Herrick. the East Middlebray Improvement | A horse and wagon belonging to E. S

is in Wallburford to visit his sisters. Mrs. Minn Rosers and Mrs. B. C. Ingulls.-Mrs. Alfred Panton and children of Vervisit here with Mrs. Panton's mother, Edwin Holmes are spending a few days 30 Oh friends in Rutland - The Rev. E. A Austin has returned from Saratoga,

ad Manelieurer, Mann. Five work was in out of town were Mrs. Pannie Austin he kindseparten and a congry grader, in of Montelale, N. J., and Mrs. Julia bich she was very representat. Her first Welf of Union Hill, N. J.-Roce Mamaaching experience was infined when the rolli, an employe of the Vermont Marhas only 17 years of ave. Some to wars ble company at their plant at Heldens re she was nurried to Professor Borns who had been El for a few days, was and came to live in the village. She was taken on the five occors train Tuesday active in the Congregational Church, es- afternoon to the Proctor hospital, where secially in the Sunday school serving as he died early Wesnesday morning at superintendent of the primary departs the age of 50 years. He is survived by ment, and was an efficient leader is such a wife and two children, who are in management of Breadloaf Inn. She show- will be brought back to Middlebury, ed much executive ability and was highly where the funeral services will be commended by the patrons of the Inn. held and burint made.—The village Washington April 19.—No decision as to At the time of her illness she was actively water war shut off from the west part thindrawal of American troops from the time of her illness she was actively water war shut off from the west part thindrawal for a week or ten days. as she was to serve in the same capacity, evening on account of a had break at The funeral services were held at the the junction of South Main street and house Sinday arternoon at two o'clock. South sires, where there were two and were in charge of Dr. Verr n. C. blow-outs-Dorothy Hunt, three-year-Harrington. The interment was in the old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry West convercy. She is survived by her E. Hant, who had been ill for some time humband, stepson, a sister, Mrs. Sarah at their home, died Tuesday afternoon, Brown of Milford, Conn., and three broth- Funeral services will be held at their ors, R. W. Norten of Rockford III., B. H. home this afternoon at two o'clock, Norten of Sheiten, Corn., and Henry Norand burial will be in the Munger and P. N. Swett of the board of trustees is in town for a few days visit at the mittee to pass on the erection of build- ter Chapter, No. 22, R. A. M., held their ings on private property and to prevent annual meeting in their rooms in the ed: H. P., Charles Button: K., Arthur and vell, H. R. Church; first vell, P. S. a breaking of relations between two first-class powers has not eventually brought war—that which now exists between Germany and Italy.

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The Italians have captured Monte Pume stewards, F. G. Brookins and Frank M. John W. Boderick and daughters. Sara t nephew, John L. Wilson, of Cambridge

> holidays with his parents. VERGENNES.

Mass, are visiting here.-Gu

Sunday, the Rev. William Laughthan the old one to Farral, the town ert by the Sunday school at 7:30, with ton assumed his duties as paster of the where the Americans were fired on last baptism at the close, -Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Haptist Church. Mr. Laughton comes teek by Carranza soldiers or civilians Somner have gone to Burlington, where here from Hinesburg, where he has been General Gulterrez, Carranza commande: Mr. Sumner is a patient at the Mary Paxter of the Baptist Church in that main there also for a while-The was a missionary in central China and State department reports from Chi house on Weyoridae street belonging to W. for 10 of these years he was also a few months ago, is being repaired.-Miss Union. Mr. Laughton for the past seven Stella Turner, who has been here to wish Years has served as paster in New BRED HOLSTEIN COW to her school duties in Ferrisburg.-Mon- sons, the Rev. James Laughton, pastor day, market day, ergs brought 21 cents of the Baptist Church at Westport Bellows Falls, April 19,-One thou- and butter 2 to 31.-Walter Simons under- N. Y., Charles Laughton of Windsor and sand dellars was paid here to-day for went an operation at his home Saturday William Laughton of Burlington. Mrs. those present were Governor Charles W. Al. H. O'Brien of Walpole, N. fl., who where he has secured a positive of the Carrigan rietta, is at home with her parents.—

Cates of Franklin and J. C. Towle of daughter of the \$1,000 cow.

Lineshure Falls county highway and answer of the \$1,000 cow. Good prices were paid to-day, a pair has been giving demonstrations.-Prof. son was in town Saturday and ansioner, Mr. Bates stated that the State of helfers being bid off by L. C. Lovell Frank W. Cady went to Vergennes Men- nounced himself as a candidate for re-Ingraham, former mayor of Portland, will again this year share equally the of Bellows Falls for \$20. F. H. Met- day and in the evening delivered a lec- election to that office, which he has Wilson for assistant secretary of war.

Washington, April 19—The full text of the American noise to Germany, together the American noise to Germany, together with the appendix, follows:

You are instructed to deliver to the clusion, that the together was first made the con-Me., has been selected by President expense of oiling town and village streets calf of Holyoke, Mass., paid the high ture in the likely Free library, taking for the past 12 years.—Miss Ruth onclude to make his headquarters in tives in Rutland.-Miss Lydia Brown, & Mrs. Miglia Abate came near meeting N. Y., is spending the vacation with with what might have been a serious her sister. Mrs. Nathan Travis, and her accident at the station here Tuesday brother, Levi H. Brown.-Miss Annie when she was about to get off the noon McAuly, who recently fell and injured flyer. She had two young children in her spine, is at the home of her par-In F. R. Patch Manufactory.

Arms and as there were quite a number cuts in New Haven.-Joseph Montenay and April 19. Fire caused by the of people getting off and on she was spent Sunday with his parents in Brushlipping for tempering into oil of a shrap- somewhat bampered. A young man took ton, N. Y.-Mrs. Charles Tull and daughnel shell, which was too hot, destroyed one of the children and got to the plat- ter. Miss Helen Tull, visited friends in the foundry and a part of the machine form. Mrs. Abate alighted from the train Inclination Saturday.-E. B. Lee is ill came instantly ignited and combustion her feet none the worse for the ex- ing her sister, Mrs. Harry Kenyon.leasiness trip to Bridgeport. was called out and succeeded in saving York city to sound a month with their Saturday to accompany his wife home the other buildings. The plant ordinar- daughter, Mrs. Kodibanoff,-Miss Mar- from the Mary Fletcher hospital, where

syrup by the chancellor commander, H.

society in the new building of the J. B Bristol was stolen from the horse shed Bryant Manufacturing company Tuesday of the Congregational Church Sunday evening was well attended and a good evening while Mr. Bristol was attending sum was realized .- Mr. and Mrs. John A services at the church. No clue has yet Morgan and daughter, Miss Lucy Mor- been found as to who committed the

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# tess, and some expressed the opinion that methods—not before. His action would not lead to war. Repedican Leade: Mann alone of all the use of the submarine shall be reaposition leaders ovenly attacked the stricted to operations against warships.

Upon that rock the friendly relations be

tween the two countries may be rent. CRISIS AT WAITING STAGE. The character that the case of the army and taxy officers found in the hull waiting stage during which German will agreement among the members of the J. K. Pirle Wins Suit against Granite if the destroyed ship not only serew bolts have opportunity to accede to the Amerwhich correspond in use and identificas lean demands. Before another week betion marks with those on German torpe- gins settlement of the long standing issue

fees in possession of the French govern- either will be assured or Count Von Bernment at the navid-station Toulon but that grown will have his passports and Am-American officers actually found 13 bassador Gerard will be leaving Berlin. pieces of metal which they have identified. The President had guarded his plans as parts of German torpedoen. Four of with most effective secrecy until ten them still hear the distinctive red paint o'clock this morning when he disclosed common to German torsedo "war heads." them at a conference with Chairman In short, the United States presents the Stone Senator Lodge, the ranking repubgyidence as the cuisatone to an accumula- lican of the Senate foreign relations comtion of evidence extending over a period mittee, and Chairman Flood and Repres SWEAR SUSSEX WAS months which is held to prove sentative Cooper, the ranking republican

ASKS NOTHING OF CONGRESS. Copies of the American note were sent The President asked nothing of Cone American embassy a supplementary note St. Albans, April 18.—About 25 road The decement was not given to any of the comment was not given to the comment was not given to any of the comment was not given to the commen He came only to inform it of his action.

tion reading as follows:

gard to certain attacks by German sub- States has based its conclusion is inmarines, and particularly in regard to closed. the disastrous explosion which on March 14 last, wrecked the French steamship now the honor to deliver, under instruc-

CITES SUSSEX CASE FIRST. the government of the United States fully ment has failed to appreciate the gravity an investigation to be begun to-morrow Sussex, and the inferences which my government has drawn from that informa- from the whole method and character of completed. rion it regards as confirmed by the circumstances set forth in your excellency's note of the 10th instant. On the 24th of March, 1916, at about 2:50 o'clock in the afternoon, the unarmed steamer Sussex, with 325 or more passengers on board. among whom were a number of American cilizens, was torpedood while crossing from Polistone to Dieppe. The Sussex had never been armed; was a vessel known to be habitually used only for the conveyance of passengers across the English channel; and was not following the route taken by troop ships or supply ships. About 80 of her passengers, non-comtatants of all ages and sexes, including citizens of the United States, were killed

WAS A GERMAN TORPEDO. A careful, detailed and accupulously im- the attack upon the Sussex was mani-

ing or summons to surrender and that the torpedo by which she was struck was

You are instructed to deliver to the clusion that the torpedo was fired by a secretary of foreign affairs a communica- German submarine unavoidable. It now considers that conclusion substantiated t did not fail to transmit immediately by the statements of your excellency's by telegraph to my government your ex- note. A full statement of the facts upon ellency's note of the 19th instant in re- which the government of the United

submarine warfare as disclosed by

to hope that the officer who was respensible for that act had wilfully Welland canal, will be returned to the violated his orders or had been criminally negligent in taking none of the precautions they prescribed, and that the ends to-night. of justice might be satisfied by imposing him an adequate punishment. coupled with a formal disayowal of the tinned. act and payment of a suitable idemnity definitely settled, so far as my office Dr. A. R. Slader of this city, members

The government of the United States.

after having given careful consideration All the injured are expected to recover. alone from the attack on the Sussex, but interstate commerce commission, was unrestrained practice of the commanders VON IGEL WILL HAVE of German undersea craft during the past twelve months and more in the in discriminate destruction of merchant vessets of all sorts, nationalities and destinations. If the sinking of the Sussex had been an isolated case the government of only a part of the documents seized at the United States might find it possible the time of his arrest on a charge of

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